

Appendix US Fish & Wildlife Service Section Form

FEDERAL AID SECTION 7 EVALUATION FORM

PHASE I: COMPLETED BY STATE

For federal assistance programs administered by the USFWS (Division of Federal Aid.)

State: Iowa Agency: Natural Resources
Program: Sport Fish Restoration

Grant Proposal, Agreement, or Amendment

Title and Number: Lost Grove Lake and Facility Construction

Grant Period: July 1, 2004 through December 31, 2008

I. Species/Critical Habitat: List species or critical habitat that occur within the action area¹
None

II. Project Description: Describe project or, if referencing other documents (e.g. GP), prepare an executive summary. **This proposal is to construct a 350 acre lake with related public access facilities in the North Branch Lost Creek watershed, Scott County. Lake construction activities include a dam, spillway, shoreline protection and fish habitat. Related public accesses included drives, boat ramps, shoreline fishing areas, parking areas, restroom facilities and the raising of 220th Avenue.**

III. State Review & Recommendation: Identify the effects of the proposed project on species/critical habitat occurring within the action area. Check (X) all applicable categories and list of species associated with each recommendation. (Note: Multiple recommendations on one form is acceptable.)

XX *a) No Species/Critical Habitat Present* This recommendation is appropriate when no listed/proposed/candidate species or designated/proposed critical habitat occur within the action area (no species list is required).

b) *No Effect* This recommendation is appropriate when the proposed project will not directly or indirectly affect (negatively or beneficially) individuals of listed/proposed/candidate species or designated/proposed critical habitat of such species. List species applicable to this recommendation (or attach list): _____

¹ Action Area = all areas potentially affected (directly or indirectly) by the proposed action (50 CFR 402.02)

- c) *Not Likely to Adversely Affect* This recommendation is appropriate when the proposed action is not likely to adversely impact individuals of listed/proposed/candidate species or designated/proposed critical habitat of such species.

List species applicable to this recommendation and complete section IV (or attach list):

- d) *Likely to Adversely Affect* This recommendation is appropriate when the proposed action is likely to adversely impact individuals of listed/proposed/candidate species or designated/proposed critical habitat of such species.

List species applicable to this recommendation and complete section IV (or attach list):

IV. Documentation of State Recommendation: For each *Not Likely to Adversely Affect* and *Likely to Adversely Affect* recommendation, attach an explanation of such finding for all applicable species or critical habitat. Documentation should include a discussion of each of the following: (1) species status - population trends, distribution in action area, (2) habitat status - critical or noncritical, species use such as breeding migrating, feeding in action area, and (3) impacts of action - how the proposed action will affect species/critical habitat (consider direct, indirect, and cumulative impacts).

State Signature: (*signature indicates impacts on all federally listed species within the applicable State have been considered and documented*)

State Endangered Species Coordinator:

Daryl Howell Date 4/19/04

State Federal Aid Coordinator:

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